DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)		Attorney Dkt. No.	·
		First Named Inventor	Kazuyoshi OKAMOTO
Declaration		COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Submitted with Initial Filing	Submitted after Initial Filing	Application No.	
		Filing Date	
		Group Art Unit	
		Examiner Name	

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: METHOD OF KNITTING KNITWEAR WITH RAGLAN SLEEVES AND KNITWEAR WITH RAGLAN SLEEVES; the specification of which was filed on September 27, 2004 as PCT International Application Number PCT/JP2004/014093 and was amended on ______.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above- identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Numbers	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? YES NO
2003-350133	Japan	October 8, 2003		No

I/We hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number(s)	Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)		

I hereby appoint the registered practitioner(s) associated with Customer No. 6449 to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. Direct all correspondence to Customer Number 6449.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR:	[] A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor			
Given Name (first and middle [if any]) Kazuyoshi		Family Name or Surname	ОКАМОТО	
Inventor's Signature Harry Signature Date March 27, 2006				
Residence: City Wakayama	State	Country Japan	Citizenship Japanese	
Mailing Address c/o Shima Seiki Mfg., Ltd.				
Mailing Address 85 Sakata, Wakayama-shi				
City Wakayama	State	Zip 641-8511	Country Japan	

NAME OF SECOND INVENTOR:	[] A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor		
Given Name (first and middle [if any])		Family Name or Surname	
Inventor's Signature	-	Date	
Residence: City	State	Country	Citizenship
Mailing Address			
Mailing Address			
City	State	Zip	Country